

Sustainable Communities Program Call for Applications

Civic Engagement, Equity, and Environmental Justice

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Key Facts:

- \$5 million available. The Call is open April 12, 2023 May 15, 2023.
- Encourages partnerships between local governments and community-based organizations (CBOs)
- Funds a range of eligible, high-impact, and transformative land use and transportation activities

May/June 2023
Call Closes

Project Evaluation

Late Summer/Fall 2023

Begin MOUs and Procurement

April 2023

Call Opens
Application Workshops
Office Hours

Summer 2023

Project Recommendations and Awards

Project Categories & Funding Objectives



Housing & Land Use Strategies

Funding Source: REAP 2.0

Available: \$3M total

Projects must:

- ✓ Be located in an infill area.
- ✓ Accelerate infill housing production
- ✓ Reduce vehicle miles traveled (VMT)
- ✓ Affirmatively further fair housing (AFFH)
- ✓ Implement Connect SoCal



Multimodal Communities

Funding Source: SB 1 **Available:** \$2M total

Projects must:

- ✓ Reduce vehicle miles traveled
- ✓ Reduce greenhouse gas emissions
- ✓ Implement Connect SoCal

Priority Populations & Applicant Eligibility

Targets Disadvantaged and Historically Underserved Communities

SB535 Disadvantaged **Communities**

SCAG Communities of Concern

TCAC/HCD **Opportunity Areas**

AB 1550 Communities

Who's Eligible?

- **PRIMARY APPLICANTS:** Cities and Counties; County Transportation Agencies; Transit Agencies; Tribal Entities; Natural Resources or Public Land Agencies; Public Academic Institutions; School Districts; Special Districts; Regional Housing Trust Funds; Housing Authorities
- **CO-APPLICANTS:** Community Based Organizations (CBOs); Non-Profits; All Primary Applicants are eligible as Co-Applicants
- Eligible as primary applicant for all funding





Must be registered 501c3 or have Fiscal Sponsor



THANK YOU!

For more information, please visit:

https://scag.ca.gov/scp/civic-engagement-equity-environmentaljustice

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